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Selectmen's Report.

VALUATION OF THE TOWN.

Valuation of real estate taxed,	\$154,960 00
101 polls,	10,100 00
160 horses,	7,718 00
16 oxen,	962 00
303 cows,	9,146 00
121 neat stock,	2,720 00
511 sheep,	1,264 00
175 fowls,	78 00
Mills,	1,400 00
Stock in public funds,	2,600 00
Stock in banks,	2,300 00
Money on hand or at interest,	18,768 00
Stock in trade,	682 00
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	\$212,698 00

ASSESSMENTS.

State tax,	\$480 25
County tax,	1,044 85
Highway tax,	532 34
School tax,	565 00
Library,	33 90
Town Charges,	1 00
Repairs for school houses,	50 00
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	\$2,707 34

Rate of taxation, \$1.30 on each \$100.

TOWN OFFICERS.

Henry M Elwell, selectman 1898.	42 00
Chas M Lufkin, " "	15 00
Emerson E Parker, " "	18 75
Frank R Bates, town treasurer,	25 00
Frank R Bates, school treasurer,	5 00
Frank R Bates, sexton,	32 25
Alvin S Cram, collector,	35 00
Henry Prentiss, town clerk,	20 00
Charles Winch, auditor,	1 00
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	\$194 00

SCHOOL BOARD.

M F Bragg, services on school board,	\$9 00
James W Biscom, " "	16 75
Mary Prentiss, " "	5 00
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	\$30 75

COUNTY PAUPERS.

Paid for benefit of Milton J Clark,	\$166 95
" Henry Thatcher,	10 70
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	\$177 65
Due from Sullivan County Feb. 15, 1899,	45 40
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	223 05
Received from Sullivan County,	152 46
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	\$70 59
Over paid F J Marvin on goods furnished Milton J Clark, from Feb. 15, 1899 to May 2, 1899,	9 91
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Which has been paid back into the town treasury by F J Marvin, which leaves a balance due from the County Feb. 15, 1900,	\$60 68

DEPENDENT SOLDIERS.

Paid for benefit of Edwin Fifield,	\$52 13
Due from Sullivan County Feb. 15, 1899,	15 00
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	67 13
Received from Sullivan County,	53 00
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Due from Sullivan County Feb. 15, 1900,	\$14 13

Treasurer's Report.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1900.

By cash in treasury Feb. 15, 1899,	\$523 08
Taxes in 1899,	2,150 89
Interest on taxes in 1899,	5 41
From town clerk for dog licenses,	60 77
From Sullivan County for dependent soldier,	53 00
From Sullivan County for support of paupers,	152 46
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	\$2,945 61

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid County tax,	1,044 85
Paid balance on State tax,	269 33
Paid on orders,	1,281 47
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	2,595 65
To cash in treasury, Feb. 15, 1900,	349 96
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	2,945 61

FRANK R. BATES, Treasurer.

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Geo H Royce, work on road,	\$4 20
Willie Wheeler, “	4 46
S D Tinker, “ with 4 horses,	20 40
Geo Woodell, “	2 59
M M Whitney, “	1 50
Will Bidwell, “	3 97
Chas Jefts, “	7 50
B F Brown, “	82
Frank R Bates, “	11 14
S D Tinker, bridge plank,	10 80
Chas Graves, work on road,	2 10
Ira Kinson, one day with team,	3 00
L Hodgman, work on road,	1 87
Geo Holmes, bridge plank,	28 08
Howard & Co, drain tile,	4 59
E H Clark, work on road,	1 12
W R Kelley, “	3 75
Chas Winch, “	1 95
M F Bragg, “	16 05
Ira Kinson, work and cutting brush,	6 50
James Willard, work on road,	3 75
Will Kirkpatrick, “	10 50
A A Graves, carting stone and work on road,	2 02
Alvin Cram, work on road,	8 25
William Hall, “	10 25
John Condon, “	15 15
Chas Presby, “	9 75
L G Hill, “	2 97
D P Davis, “	9 94
Ira M Russell, “	4 65
Edward Holmes, “	75
E E Parker, “	3 05
H A Holmes, “	3 75
Edwin Clark, “	11 63

Austin Currier, work on road,	4 50
D Bridges, “	16 20
Chas Green, “	7 90
Chas Westney, “	9 77
Henry Smith, snowing bridge and snow bill,	1 60
C J Fifield, work on road,	9 50
Henry C Clark, “	32 09
George H Royce, railing near Prentiss bridge,	14 45
M F Bragg, work on road,	57 29
Howard & Co., drain tile,	2 50
James McDermitt for gravel,	2 70
Waite & Kent, repairs on scraper,	1 40
M F Bragg, “	75
E Porter, work on road,	26 45
John Jefts, “	3 00
A Bingham, “	3 30
R Lucas, “	1 50
Geo Ramsey, “	3 00
Will Ormsby,	90
E W Henry,	2 25
Ira Kinson, with team,	6 00
Ira M Russell, work on road,	1 35
Frank R Bates, “	1 43
James W Bascom, “	3 99
Chas A Holdon, work on road and plank,	3 50

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John Condon, snow bill,	\$14 52
Chas Presby, “	8 40
B F Brown, “	1 50
Will R Kelley, “	2 00
S Wilmont, “	1 50
Geo B Jennie, “	2 40
Hiram Glynn, “	14 85
Meany Bro., “	8 25
D Bridges, “	1 65

James Willard, snow bill,	6 67
Ira P Smith, “	3 30
Ira Kinson, “	9 20
Chas Winch, “	3 15
Geo Williams, “	4 20
Edwin Clark, “	5 77
James Bascom, “	9 45
D P Davis, “	2 67
Chas W Graves, “	1 20
A A Graves, “	1 42
E E Parker, “	3 05
Chas Westney, “	2 55
Henry Clark, “	19 05
Geo H Royce, “	3 45
C J Fifield, “	3 45
W H Willson, “	1 20
E Porter, “	1 80
A P Fish, “	2 10
W H Ormsby, “	2 10
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	\$140 60

MISCELLANEOUS.

H B Davis, printing town reports,	\$15 00
E C Eastman, blank books,	5 69
H B Davis, printing posters,	75
School Treasurer, dog licenses of 1898,	31 90
J C Daigmratt, repairs on scraper,	2 25
J Hadlock, scraper edge,	9 00
E M Smith, insuring town house,	5 00
Geo Woodell, repairs on scraper,	1 40
Lewis & Knight, drawing plank,	5 50
Geo H Royce, expenses settling with County,	2 00
Geo H Royce, express and postage,	1 86
Alvin Cram, abatement of Leon Bushway tax,	3 90
James McDermitt, error in tax,	5 20

M F Bragg, school supplies,	56 31
H A Holmes, library tax,	33 90
Chas M Lufkins, returning one death,	25
O C Young, returning 5 births and deaths,	1 25
R P Oliver, returning 7 births and deaths,	1 75
F Trow for use of Alstead hearse,	3 00
Treasurer School district literary fund,	35 91
Geo H Royce, taking John Honner to county farm,	3 00
Alvin S Cram, abatement of uncollectable taxes,	9 46
E M Smith, returning fees,	5 00
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	\$236 28

RECAPITULATION.

Town Officers,	194 00
Highways and bridges,	450 06
Snow bills of 1899,	140 60
County paupers,	177 65
Dependent soldiers,	52 13
School board,	30 75
Balance of state tax,	269 33
County tax,	1,044 85
Miscellaneous,	236 28
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	\$2,595 65

ASSETS.

Cash in treasury Feb. 15, 1900,	349 96
Received of F J Marvin, error in pauper bill,	9 91
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	\$359 87
Due from Sullivan County, Feb 15, 1900	60 68
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	\$420 55

DOG LICENSE.

Received for dog license,	60 77
Dog damage none,	
Balance due schools April 1, 1900,	60 77
GEORGE H. ROYCE,	} Selectmen of Langdon.
EMERSON E. PARKER,	
DARWIN BRIDGES.	

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of the Selectmen and Treasurer and find them correct and properly vouched.

CHARLES WINCH, Auditor.
Langdon, N. H., Feb. 15, 1900.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF LIBRARY.

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To cash in treasury Feb. 15, 1899,	2 83
Library tax,	33 90
Catalogue money,	10
Cash paid for fines,	60
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	\$37 43

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By Charles E Lauriat Co. for 29 books,	21 88
George Burnham, one book,	1 50
Mrs H J LaSalle, services as librarian,	12 00
Money order and postage,	20
Cash to balance,	45
Express on books,	1 40
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	\$37 43

DISTRICT TREASURER'S REPORT.
FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1900.

By cash in treasury Feb. 15, 1899,	313 50
Received from collector,	615 00

Dog license money in 1898,	31 90
Literary fund,	35 91
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	\$996 31

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid on orders,	679 89
Cash in treasury Feb. 15, 1900,	316 42
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	\$996 31

FRANK R. BATES, Treasurer School District.

Report of the Board of Education.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1900.

Number of schools maintained 3; number of terms of school 8; number of weeks 76; number of weeks in spring 27; in fall 33; in winter 16; number of pupils as reported by selectmen 53; boys 24, girls 29; number in actual attendance 57; number attending in adjoining towns 10; number between the ages of 6 and 16, 53; number between the ages of 5 and 16 not attending any school 3, girls 2, boys 1.

Names of teachers employed. Spring term, school No. 2, Gertrude E Marshall; number 3, Carrie E Daggett; number 4, Charlotte L Burge; Fall term, number 2, Gertrude E Marshall; number 3, Anna B Swain; number 4, Effie R Dexter; Winter term, number 3, Anna B Swain; number 4, E Louise Mitchell.

Financial Statement.

Orders drawn on district treasurer for support of schools,	679 89
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EXPENDITURES.

Carrie E Daggett, teaching 9 weeks,	63 00
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Charlotte L Burge,	9	54 00
Gertrude E Marshall,	20	100 00
Effie R Dexter,	11	66 00
E Louise Mitchell,	8	56 00
Anna B Swain,	19	133 00
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		\$472 00

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

M F Bragg, cash paid out and wood,	51 74
Paid tuition to Walpole to Feb 15, 1900,	6 25
Paid tuition to Charlestown from Feb 15, 1897 to Feb 15, 1900,	108 00
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	\$165 99

REPAIRS.

Cash paid out and labor,	41 90
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RECAPITULATION.

Orders drawn on district treasurer,	679 89
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EXPENDITURES.

Wages of teachers including board,	472 00
Miscellaneous expenses,	165 99
Repairs,	41 90
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	\$679 89

MARSHALL F. BRAGG,	}	School Board.
JAMES W. BASCOM,		
MARY S. PRENTISS,		

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of the School Board and Treasurer and believe them correct and properly vouched.

CHARLES WINCH, Auditor,
Langdon, N. H., Feb. 15, 1900.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF LANGDON, N. H.
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1899.

Child's name, — Williams.
Place of birth, Langdon.
Date of birth, March 25, 1899.
Sex, F. Color, white. Living.
No. of child, 2nd.
Father's name, Geo. F. Williams.
Birthplace, Rutland, Vt
Color, white.

Age, 29.
Residence, Langdon, N. H.
Occupation, farmer.
Mother's maiden name, Mary
M. Jenna.
Birthplace, Kingston, Vt.
Color, white. Age, 26.
Occupation, housekeeper.
Name and address of physician,
R. F. Oliver, Alstead, N. H.

Child's name, Earle Henry Fi-
field.
Date of birth, February 7, 1899.
Place of birth, Langdon, N. H.
Sex, M. Color, white.
Living or stillborn, living.
No. of child, 3rd.
Father's name, Carlos J. Fifield.
Birthplace, Keene, N. H.
Color, white, age, 40.
Residence, Langdon, N. H.
Occupation, farmer.
Mother's maiden name, Ada F.
White.

Birthplace, Springfield, Vt.
Color, white. Age, 44.
Occupation, housekeeper.
Name and address of physician
reporting, O. C. Young,
Charlestown, N. H.

Child's name, — Johnson.
Date of birth, June 30, 1899.
Place of birth, Langdon, N. H.
Sex, F. Color, W.
Living or stillborn, living.
No. of children, 7.
Father's name, Carl Johnson.
Birthplace, Sweden.
Color, W. Age, 38.
Residence, Langdon, N. H.

Occupation, farmer.
Mother's maiden name, Clara
M. Rits.
Birthplace, Sweden.
Color, W. Age, 34.
Occupation, housekeeper.
Name and address of physician,
R. F. Oliver, Alstead, N. H.

Child's name, — Holmes.
Date of birth, Sept. 18. 1899.
Place of birth, Langdon.
Sex, F. Color, W.
Living or stillborn, living.
No. of children, 4.
Father's name, Herbert A.
Holmes.
Birthplace, Charlestown, N. H.
Occupation, farmer.
Color, white. Age, 40.
Residence, Langdon.
Mother's maiden name, Flora
B. Russell.
Birthplace, Langdon.
Color, W. Age, 38.
Housekeeper.
Name and address of physician
reporting, O. C. Young, M.
D., Charlestown, N. H.

Child's name, — Green.
Date of birth, October 16, 1899.
Place of Birth, Langdon, N. H.
Sex, F. Color, white.
Living or stillborn, living.
No. of children, 1.
Father's name, Charles Harvey
Green.
Birthplace, Gilsun, N. H.
Color, W. Age, 28.
Residence, Langdon.
Occupation, farmer.
Mother's maiden name, Nellie
Louisa Fiske.
Birthplace, Charlestown, N. H.
Color, W. Age, 31.
Occupation, housekeeper.
Name and address of physician
reporting, R. F. Oliver, M.
D., Alstead, N. H.

Child's name, — Briggs.
 Date of birth, Nov. 15, 1899.
 Place of birth, Langdon.
 Sex, female. Color, white.
 Living or stillborn, living.
 No. of children, 1.
 Father's name, George H. Briggs
 Birthplace, Williamstown, Vt.
 Color, white. Age, 45.
 Residence, Langdon, N. H.
 Occupation, farmer.
 Mother's maiden name, Mary
 L. Gillis.
 Birthplace, Canada.
 Color, white. Age, 34.
 Occupation, housekeeper.
 Name and address of person re-
 porting, Geo. H. Briggs,
 Langdon, N. H.
 Child's name, Raymond La
 Forest Jeffs.

Date of birth, Nov. 24, 1899.
 Place of birth, Langdon, N. H.
 Sex, M. Color, W.
 Living or stillborn, living.
 No. of children, 2.
 Father's name, J. Raymond Jeffs.
 Birthplace, Alstead, N. H.
 Color, W. Age, 29.
 Residence, Langdon.
 Occupation, farmer.
 Mother's maiden name, Mabel
 Hattie Nash.
 Birthplace, Walpole, N. H.
 Color, W. Age, 26.
 Occupation, housekeeper,
 Name and address of physician
 reporting, E. S. Albee, M.
 D., Bellows Falls, Vt.

I hereby certify that the above returns are correct ac-
 cording to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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HENRY PRENTISS, Town Clerk.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF LANGDON N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1899.

Groom, Frederic L. Royce.
 Bride, Mattie Blodgett.
 Residence of groom, Langdon,
 N. H.
 Residence of bride, Charlestown,
 N. H.
 Age of groom, 22.
 Age of bride, 17.
 Color of groom, white.
 Color of bride, white.
 Occupation of groom, farmer.
 Occupation of bride, housekeeper
 Birthplace of groom, Charles-
 town, N. H.
 Birthplace of bride, Charles-
 town, N. H.
 No. of marriage of groom, first.
 No. of marriage of bride, first.

Intention filed, Sept. 7, 1899.
 By whom married, Jos. Hooper.
 Residence, Goshen, N. H.
 Official station, clergyman.
 Date of marriage, Sept. 10, 1899.
 Place, Goshen, N. H.
 Groom's father and mother,
 Father's name, Harvey Royce.
 Residence, Charlestown, N. H.
 Age, 47. Color, white.
 Occupation, farmer.
 Birthplace, Charlestown, N. H.
 Mother's name, Katie.
 Residence, Charlestown, N. H.
 Age, 47. Color, W.
 Occupation, housekeeper.
 Bride's father and mother.
 Father's name, Joseph Blodgett.

Residence, Charlestown, N. H.
 Age,—, Color, white.
 Occupation, farmer.
 Birthplace,—
 Mother's name,—

Residence, Charlestown, N. H.
 Age,—, Color, W.
 Occupation, housekeeper.
 Birthplace,—

I hereby certify that the above return is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HENRY PRENTISS, Town Clerk.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF LANGDON, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1899.

Name, Fredia H. White.
 Place of death, Langdon, N. H.
 Date of death, March 24, 1899.
 Age, 20 years, 4 months, 5 days.
 Place of birth, Springfield, Vt.
 Sex, F. Color, white.
 Married or single, single.
 Cause of death, phthisis pulmonia.
 Place of burial, Langdon, N. H.
 Maiden name of mother, Adda F. White.
 Birthplace of mother, Springfield, Vt.
 Name and address of physician,
 O. C. Young, M. D., Charlestown, N. H.

Name, Electa J. Huntoon.
 Place of death, Langdon, N. H.
 Date of death, April 13, 1899.
 Age, 76 years, 2 months, 23 days.
 Place of birth, Langdon, N. H.
 Sex, F. Color, W. Widow.
 Occupation, housekeeper.
 Cause of death, chronic bronchitis and influenza.
 Place of burial, Langdon, N. H.
 Name of father, Samuel Elwell.
 Maiden name of mother, Electa Jewett.
 Birthplace of father, Langdon, N. H.
 Birthplace of mother, Langdon, N. H.
 Occupation of father, farmer.
 Name and address of physician,
 R. F. Oliver, Alstead, N. H.

Name, Marcella B. Huntoon.
 Place of death, Langdon, N. H.
 Date of death, April 13, 1899.
 Age, 50 years, 3 months, 27 days.
 Sex, F. Color, W.
 Married or single, single.
 Occupation, housekeeper.
 Cause of death, pneumonia and heart failure.
 Place of burial, Langdon, N. H.
 Name of father, Roswell Huntoon.
 Maiden name of mother, Electa J. Elwell.
 Birthplace of mother, Langdon, N. H.
 Occupation of father, farmer.
 Name and address of physician
 reporting, R. F. Oliver, Alstead, N. H.

Name,—Johnson.
 Place of death, Langdon, N. H.
 Date of death, July 3, 1899.
 Age,— yrs, months—, days, 2.
 Sex, F. Color, white.
 Cause of death, premature birth.
 Place of burial, Langdon, N. H.
 Name of father, Carl Johnson.
 Maiden name of mother, Clara M. Rits.
 Birthplace of father, Sweden.
 Birthplace of mother, Sweden.
 Occupation of father, farmer.
 Name and address of physician
 reporting, R. F. Oliver, Alstead, N. H.

Name, Mary Frost Westney.
 Place of death, Langdon.
 Date of death, July 31, 1899.
 Age, 74 years, 2 months, 18 days.
 Sex, F. Color, W. Married.
 Occupation, housewife.
 Cause of death, valvular disease
 of heart.
 Place of burial, Langdon, N. H.
 Name of father, John Frost.
 Maiden name of mother, Elizabeth Hubbard.
 Birthplace of father, North
 Elmham, England.
 Birthplace of mother, Fitzhall,
 England.
 Occupation of father, farmer.
 Name and address of physician
 reporting, O. C. Young, M.
 D., Charlestown, N. H.

Name, Frances M. Prouty.
 Place of death, Langdon,
 Date of death, Aug. 27, 1899.
 Age, 79 years, 8 months 11 days.
 Sex, F. Color, W. Widowed.
 Cause of death, Bright's disease.
 Place of burial, Burlington, Vt.
 Name of father, Anan Evans.
 Occupation of father, farmer.
 Name and address of physician
 reporting, R. F. Oliver, Al-
 stead, N. H.
 The above was not a resident
 of Langdon, but of Burlington,
 Vt.

I hereby certify that the above returns are correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HENRY PRENTISS, Town Clerk.

